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Northeast Regional Office/Fisheries Statistics Office
Fishery Information Section

Weekly Scup Quota Report (No. 25)

Scup Landings (pounds) for 2000 Summer Quota Period (May-Oct 2000).

State	Late Entries	Week Ending 24-JUN-00	Period Cumulative Total (to date)	2000 Summer Quota	Percent Landed
ME	0	0	0		
NH	0	0	0		
MA	0	0	52,253		
RI	0	210	251,190		
CT	3,141	4,013	27,413		
NY	604	9,231	119,540		
NJ	0	70	6,728		
DE	0	0	0		
MD	0	0	0		
VA	0	0	400		
NC	0	0	0		
TOTAL	3,745	13,524	457,524	685,628	66.7

Notes:

These data are the best available to NMFS when this report was compiled. Data are supplied to NMFS by dealers and/or state agencies and may be preliminary.

If negative late entries are present on this report, they are the result of corrections made to the database.

For the week ending **24-JUN-00**, 175 dealers held a federal scup permit. Of those 175 dealers, 133 (76%) have submitted a weekly quota report for the current reporting week. Because Massachusetts dealers submit weekly quota reports directly to the state, the number of dealers that reported from that state for week ending **24-JUN-00** were not included in these calculations.

The following summary is updated as information is received, and may not reflect recent state actions. Readers are urged to contact the appropriate state agency for further information.

State Information on Scup (2000 Summer Quota Period)

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State/ Commonwealth	Closure status	Trip/Possession Limits (pounds)	Other Provisions/ Pending Changes	State Contact
Maine				Kerry Lyons 207-633-9510
New Hampshire				603-868-1095
Massachusetts		The possession limit for draggers is 100 lbs per day through the end of the squid season. Hook fishing is closed until 7/16/2000. Fish weirs are not subject to a daily landing limit for scup.	Effective 7/17/2000, all gear types may land 200 lbs per day with no commercial landings on weekends.	Dave Pierce 617-727-3193
Rhode Island		Effective 0001 hrs on 5/17/2000, the scup fishery in Rhode Island is closed until 7/1/2000.	Effective 7/1/2000, the commercial scup fishery in Rhode Island will reopen with a 100 lb possession limit.	April Valliere 401-222-3075 401-789-3094
Connecticut		Effective 0001 hrs on Wednesday, 5/31/2000, the Connecticut possession limit for the commercial harvest of scup in the bottom trawl and fish pot fisheries will be reduced to 100 lbs. The possession limit remains unchanged for commercial hook, pound net and gillnet fisheries at 100 lbs, and 10 fish for the lobster pot fishery.		Colleen Giannini 860-434-6043
New York		Effective 0001 hrs on Sunday, 6/11/2000, the trip limit for scup in New York is 50 lbs.	Effective 0001 hrs on Sunday, 7/2/2000, the trip limit for scup in New York will be set at 50 lbs to ensure that the 70,000 lb summer Period 2 quota is available during the period.	John Mason 516-444-0453
New Jersey				Tom McCloy 609-292-2083
Delaware				Rick Cole 302-739-4782
Maryland				Harley Speir 410-260-8303

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Virginia				Tina Hutcheson 757-247-8067
North Carolina				Fentress "Red" Munden, 919-726-7021